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## & FRIENDS

### ★ FAN CLUB ★

Dear Member,

I Haven't stopped Laughing From all those great knock-knocks, jokes and riddles you sent in to me! I've included a few of my Favorites in this newsletter. Try them out on your family and friends and watch them Laugh too!

What do you like to do best?

My friends and I like to make a rhythm band. We bang pot lids together and rub spoons across strainers. It's noisy, but it's fun!

You could draw a picture of me doing something that you like to do, and send it to me. Don't forget to include your name, age and address. Maybe you'll see your picture in our next newsletter!

I hope you enjoy all this good stuff!

your friend,  
Lamb Chop



Please mail your ideas to:  
The Lamb Chop & Friends Fan Club  
P.O. Box 413, Greenvale, NY 11548-0413



# YOUR LETTERS

Q Why did the cyclops give up teaching?  
 A He had only one pupil.

Mike Peplow  
 Age 9



Sarah  
 Padavich  
 Age 7

What runs around the room  
 but never moves? A carpet.

Leela  
 Hatfield  
 Age 6

"Why did the chicken  
 cross the playground?"  
 "To get to the other slide!"

Elise  
 Primeaux  
 Age 9

Dear Lamb Chop,  
 I know a magic trick  
 I can make a calculator  
 say hello.

Press the zero button.  
 Then you press two sevens.  
 Then you press three.  
 Then press four.  
 Turn it upside down and  
 it spells hello!

Benjamin  
 Milder  
 Age 7

dear lamb chop,  
 I like to do craft,  
 and this my favorite joke  
 what is black and white  
 and red all over an embarrassed  
 penguin. and this is my favorite  
 drawing.



Amanda Greenhalgh  
 Age 8



# The Goose and the Golden Eggs

There was an old farmer in Kalamazoo  
Who was starving and didn't know what to do -  
Until a stranger arrived at the farm,  
Carrying a goose under his arm.

"Take care of my goose,"  
he said, "and friend,  
The goose will take care  
of you, in the end."  
And before the next day  
was another hour old,  
The goose laid an egg that  
was made of gold.



All that week and the next, I'm told  
The goose laid eggs that were made of gold.  
The farmer sold the eggs, made lots of dough.  
He became rich, but then, you know...  
He said, "I really think it's a crime  
To have to make money *one egg at a time*.  
That silly old goose, she makes me sore!  
I'll bet in her belly, she has dozens more!"

So the farmer grabbed it by the legs,  
And killed the goose with the golden eggs.  
There were none inside the goose, of course,  
Which filled the farmer with remorse.  
Soon his money was gone, and he was needy.  
See what you get for being greedy?



## PARENT'S CORNER

Here are some tips to help your child become a lover of books: Make sure there is a quiet place for the youngster to read, and a time set aside for reading, when the t.v. is turned off. Find books that relate to your youngster's interests: if he or she likes sports or magic, find stories all about that favorite subject. Talk to your child about the colors, shapes, sizes and textures of everything you handle. Rich language skills are a terrific base for reading. Allow your children to see you reading - not only books and newspapers, but looking for numbers in a telephone book, following recipes, etc. That's how kids come to understand the importance of reading in everyday life. When your child sound out all of the hard words, Don't ever insist that your child stop and ask, "What do you think is going to happen next?" Read and re-read best-loved books. This builds confidence as well as skills.







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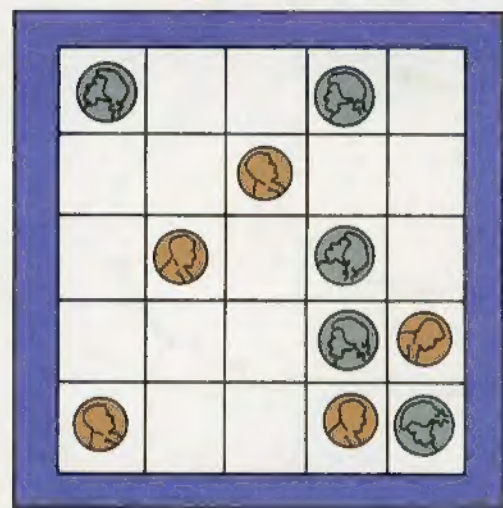


# JOIN-A-COIN

To play this game, first you have to make your own Join-a-Coin game board. It's easy. Just draw a very large square. Inside the square draw four lines up and down and four lines side to side- all evenly spaced. You now have 25 boxes inside your big square, and you're ready to play Join-a-Coin!



Gather a pile of pennies for yourself and a pile of nickles for a friend. First you get to put one of your coins in a box, then the other player puts one of his or her coins in another box. You take turns putting down coins, one at a time, until one of the players has five coins in a row. It doesn't matter whether the row is vertical (up and down), horizontal (across), or on the diagonal - if you've joined five of your coins in a row, you're the champ!





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